

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE (IRELAND) (EVICTIONS, WRITS, &c.).

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons,
dated 26 January 1886;—*for*,

RETURN "of the Number of Writs for EVICTION, and for the RECOVERY
of RENT, issued out of each Division of the HIGH COURT of JUSTICE in
Ireland, during each Three Months, from the 1st day of January 1878 to
the present."

(*Mr. William Abraham.*)

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RETURN of the Number of WRITS of EVICTION, and for the RECOVERY of RENT, issued out of each Division of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, during each Three Months, from the 1st day of January 1878 to the 31st December 1885.

The Returns are compiled from information furnished by the Masters of the Common Law Divisions of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, and the Clerk of Records and Writs.

Y. E. A. R.	Queen's Bench Division.		Common Pleas Division.		Exchequer Division.		TOTAL.		
	Writs for Eviction.	Writs for Rents.	Writs for Eviction.	Writs for Rents.	Writs for Eviction.	Writs for Rents.	Writs for Eviction.	Writs for Rents.	
1878 *	Quarter ending 31 March	85	65	119	60	167	92	840	197
	" 30 June	100	80	129	44	191	96	650	520
	" 30 September	42	16	28	13	66	48	165	79
	" 31 December	137	89	222	89	919	143	809	912
	Total	364	230	498	176	642	379	1,613	806
1879 *	Quarter ending 31 March	145	37	230	81	221	98	616	214
	" 30 June	167	35	294	89	292	67	778	311
	" 30 September	146	23	147	56	155	48	418	167
	" 31 December	150	89	247	177	299	131	760	297
	Total	602	154	1,048	433	925	334	3,403	941
1880 *	Quarter ending 31 March	167	121	432	140	303	203	893	467
	" 30 June	137	120	491	224	305	165	1,323	499
	" 30 September	67	51	246	114	111	94	317	569
	" 31 December	94	175	294	296	142	130	509	813
	Total	445	467	1,727	696	801	592	3,643	1,738
1881 *	Quarter ending 31 March	204	375	881	1,291	240	292	1,635	2,428
	" 30 June	171	397	1,421	2,060	228	648	1,890	4,448
	" 30 September	79	224	769	1,268	137	950	936	2,242
	" 31 December	197	618	524	5,918	116	636	847	6,169
	Total	612	1,614	3,704	10,076	721	1,998	5,087	14,087

1885.	Quarter ending 31 March	209	9,014	338	2,060	391	1,864	655	6,274
	" 30 June	237	1,062	290	1,140	315	1,181	808	3,406
	" 30 September	184	559	180	617	109	544	488	1,958
	" 31 December	179	458	291	680	101	667	541	1,585
	Total	609	4,093	538	4,390	606	4,264	2,533	13,208
1884	Quarter ending 31 March	169	477	537	533	150	510	694	1,569
	" 30 June	154	464	579	531	981	584	654	1,379
	" 30 September	113	507	147	504	186	305	296	1,026
	" 31 December	159	364	156	377	57	435	358	1,177
	Total	595	1,812	1,317	1,947	574	1,924	2,046	5,131
1883	Quarter ending 31 March	146	394	198	997	176	362	519	903
	" 30 June	138	364	524	317	203	363	567	1,047
	" 30 September	103	278	163	307	107	957	365	813
	" 31 December	154	949	159	508	143	350	468	889
	Total	541	1,985	771	1,130	683	1,515	1,919	3,721
1885	Quarter ending 31 March	191	225	161	303	217	297	499	649
	" 30 June	180	325	180	329	135	295	445	832
	" 30 September	60	541	195	440	66	377	211	658
	" 31 December	110	867	91	500	136	573	338	1,609
	Total	541	1,958	644	1,563	684	1,473	1,503	4,440
	TOTAL	4,532	16,616	10,165	30,974	2,380	12,014	20,508	45,736

Note.—Writs in this column mean writs of assistance, the commencement of action for the recovery of land and rent.

* Prior to the year 1888 the official records do not set forth the cause of action of writs issued (i.e., distraint), as well as the recovery of rent, &c., from any other class, and, consequently, the information for the years 1879 to 1881, both inclusive, could only be ascertained by examination of all the writs filed in each of the Common Law Divisions during this period. The information given for these years are therefore to be only approximate, as they relate to the recovery of rent and land only, after the issue of writs, within the time limited for that, in which case the writs issued were not filed at all.

Dublin Castle,
2 April 1888.

R. G. C. Hamilton.

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(EVICTIONS, WRITS, &c.)

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and for the Recovery of Rent, issued out of
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1 January 1878 to 31 December 1886.

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